

# Mirror Development Technology Days 2005 In the Government

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### **Important Information**

Coffee Breaks, Lunch and Receptions included in you Fee

Forgot about Photo Shoot – will set something up.

Government Only Session is for Coordination of Future Activities

Most Presentations will be available on MSFC/SOMTC Web Site

http://optics.nasas.gov/tech\_days/index.html



# Purpose of Tech Days

Lightweight Large-Aperture Mirror Technology is critical for NASA and DoD Space missions.

Topics discussed at Tech Days will enable missions for next 10 to 20 yrs.

#### Tech Days has two Goals:

How are we Spending the Taxpayer's money

- 1. Is the Government Investing the Taxpayer's money wisely Are we funding 5 good ideas or 1 good idea 5 times?
- 2. Are we getting good value for our investment?
- 3. How can we coordinate our activities to maximize the efficacy of our investments.

Provide a networking opportunity for Vendors and Government.



# Thank You and Acknowledgements

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